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SUBJECT: VESCO: PRESS GUIDANCE

REF: STATE 9254

1. THE FOLLOWING IS THE PRESS GUIDANCE PREPARED BY THE DEPARTMENT FOR USE IF WE ARE QUESTIONED ABOUT THE IMPLICATIONS FOR EXTRADITION RAISED BY THE NEW INDICTMENT HANDED DOWN BY THE FEDERAL GRAND JURY ON JANUARY 14.

Q: DOES THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT INTEND TO REQUEST THE EXTRADITION OF MR. VESCO ON THE CHARGES SET FORTH UNDER THE INDICTMENT RECENTLY HANDED DOWN AGAINST HIM?

A: THE INDICTMENT WAS JUST RELEASED, I.E. ON JANUARY 14.

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THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT HAS NOT YET HAD TIME TO REVIEW IT

NOR TO CONSULT WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE ABOUT IT.

2. EMBASSY AT ITS DISCRETION MAY WISH TO DRAW UPON THE CONTENTS OF ABOVE IN RESPONDING TO QUESTIONS ABOUT THIS CASE. DEPARTMENT INTENDS TO MAKE NO ADDITIONAL COMMENTS ON VARIOUS ASPECTS OF THIS CASE AT THIS TIME. THE TEXT OF THE INDICTMENT HAS NOT YET BEEN RECEIVED IN WASHINGTON. REFTEL CONTAINS EXTENT OF INFORMATION AVAILABLE TO US AT THIS

TIME ON THE CONTENTS OF THE INDICTMENT. KISSINGER

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